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PATENT APPLICATION

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Confirmation No.: 2510

Application No.: 09/534,703

Examiner: Matthew Gubiotti

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Group Art Unit: 2124

Title: METHOD OF ADMINISTERING SOFTWARE COMPONENTS USING ASYNCHRONOUS  
MESSAGING IN A MULTI-PLATFORM, MULTI-PROGRAMMING LANGUAGE  
ENVIRONMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment (Amendment A) ( ) Petition to extend time to respond  
(X) New fee as calculated below ( ) Supplemental Declaration  
( ) No additional fee (Address envelope to "Box Non-Fee Amendments")  
(X) Other: Letter to Official Draftsperson, Formal Drawings (8 sheets), Return Postcard (fee \$ 394.00)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	31	MINUS	20	= 11	X \$18	\$ 198
INDEP. CLAIMS	5	MINUS	4	= 1	X \$86	\$ 86
[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$280	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$410.00	3RD MONTH \$930.00	4TH MONTH \$1450.00		\$ 110
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 394.00

Charge \$ 394.00 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Kester Lijen Fong, et al.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service, as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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